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Respectfully submitted,

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## U.S. PATENT DOCUMENTS

EXAMINER INITIAL	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	NAME	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	FILING DATE IF APPROPRIATE
	A1	5,977,654	11/2/1999	Johnson et al.			
	A2	5,965,954	10/12/1999	Johnson et al.			
	A3	5,900,734	5/4/1999	Munson			
	A4	5,889,386	3/30/1999	Koenck			
	A5	5,717,306	2/10/1998	Shipp			
	A6	5,635,813	6/3/1997	Shiga et al.			
	A7	5,621,298	4/15/1997	Harvey			
	A8	5,495,503	2/27/1996	King et al.			
	A9	5,460,901	10/24/1995	Markku Syrjälä			
	A10	5,455,499	10/3/1995	Uskali et al.			
	A11	4,423,379	12/27/1983	Jacobs et al.			

## FOREIGN PATENT DOCUMENTS

	REF	DOCUMENT NUMBER	DATE	COUNTRY	CLASS	SUB- CLASS	TRANSLATION	
							YES	NO

## OTHER DOCUMENTS (Including Author, Title, Date, Pertinent Pages, Etc.)

	A12	Power Eye™ battery available from Johnson Controls, Inc. of Plymouth, MI, circa 1994 (5 color sheets).
	A13	Intra® battery available from Intra International AB of Göteborg, Sweden, circa 2000 (1 color and 6 black and white sheets).
	A14	Die Hard® Security battery available from Johnson Controls, Inc. of Plymouth, MI, circa 1999 (6 color sheets).

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